

Safety Committee Meeting/ SDMC

January 21, 2020

- Hear something Say Something Campaign
- https://youtu.be/P_b5YpJAAPk
- <https://youtu.be/2zXkHfRUMR8>
- Intruder Alert Drill
- Bellaire Shooting
- Orange cones concerns
- Visitors on Campus
- Sending scholars out of the classroom
- Art Class concerns

Concerns:

Bellaire Shooting: The SDMC/Safety Committee met to discuss safety issues around the Bellaire Shooting. The SDMC agreed to have the Safety Committee to monitor our next Intruder Drill. A member of the committee will oversee the drill and report any concerns.

Hear Something Say Something Campaign: All teachers will implement the Hear Something Say Something Campaign. They will utilize the links included in the list to discuss safety matters. Ms. Darden expressed concerns with individuals using the orange cones to prop open doors. The orange cones will be removed from the front office area and stored for the Crossing Guards.

Visitors on Campus: All visitors must wear a badge from the main office. The receptionist will scan all ID's through the Raptor System. Visitors must sign in and out as well.

Sending scholars out of the room: The main office reported a concern with the number of scholars being sent to the office by themselves. Due to this being a safety matter, teachers will make sure no scholar leaves the classroom without two additional scholars. The office will notify the teacher when a scholar is leaving early. The teacher will monitor the amount of time each scholar is away from the classroom. If the time is longer than expected, the teacher will contact the main office.

Art Class safety issues: The Art teacher expressed safety issues with students being sent to art by themselves. Also, she is concerned with the number of scholars who request a restroom break during the art class. The SDMC committee agreed all classroom teachers would make sure all scholars will be escorted to the art room by an adult and use the restroom before reporting to the art room.

Members:

1. Dana Darden
2. Michelle Greene
3. Juan Vizcarra
4. Tonya Sapp
5. Claudia Buitrago
6. Ximena Lozano
7. Patricia Ward-Morris
8. Daniel Torres